

MINUTES

MONTANA HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES 60th LEGISLATURE - REGULAR SESSION

COMMITTEE ON HUMAN SERVICES

Call to Order: By Chairman Ron Stoker, on April 2, 2007 at 3:00 P.M., in Room 152 Capitol.

ROLL CALL

Members Present:

Rep. Ron Stoker, Chairman (R)
Rep. Arlene Becker, Vice Chairman (D)
Rep. Tom McGillvray, Vice Chairman (R)
Rep. Mary Caferro (D)
Rep. Ernie Dutton (R)
Rep. Julie French (D)
Rep. Pat Ingraham (R)
Rep. William J. Jones (R)
Rep. Krayton Kerns (R)
Rep. Dave McAlpin (D)
Rep. Ken Peterson (R)
Rep. Michele Reinhart (D)
Rep. Diane Sands (D)

Members Excused: None.

Members Absent: Rep. Mike Milburn (R)

Staff Present: Debbie Carlson, Committee Secretary
Sue O'Connell, Legislative Branch

Audio Committees: These minutes are in outline form only. They provide a list of participants and a record of official action taken by the committee. The link to the audio recording of the meeting is available on the Legislative Branch website.

Committee Business Summary:

Hearing & Date Posted: SB 287, 3/27/2007
Executive Action: SB 287, SB 397

HEARING ON SB 287

Opening Statement by Sponsor:

00:00:34 Sen. Dan Weinberg (D), SD 2, opened the hearing on SB 287, Revise uniform anatomical gift act.

Proponents' Testimony:

00:07:14 Diana Clark, Life Center Northwest Organ Donor Center
00:14:04 Dean Roberts, Administrator, Motor Vehicle Registration
00:18:38 Winter Mickelberry
00:27:14 Pat Melby, Montana Medical Association
00:27:45 Jani McCall, Billings Clinic
00:28:13 Jennifer Knight, Sightlife
00:29:59 Mike Foster, Sisters of Charity Hospital, Holy Rosary Hospital
00:30:27 Gloria Hermanson, Life Center Northwest
00:30:51 Casey Bloomenthal, Montana Hospital Association
00:31:21 Joe Mazurek, Commission on Uniform Laws

Opponents' Testimony: None.

Informational Testimony: None.

Questions from Committee Members and Responses:

00:33:04 Rep. Reinhart
00:34:03 Sen. Weinberg
00:34:29 Ms. Clark
00:35:48 Rep. Reinhart
00:37:28 Rep. Ingraham
00:38:02 Ms. Clark
00:40:21 Mr. Mazurek
00:42:10 Rep. Becker
00:43:29 Mr. Mazurek
00:43:58 Rep. Sands
00:44:38 Sen. Weinberg
00:46:27 Rep. Becker
00:47:25 Ms. Clark
00:48:12 Rep. Sands
00:48:42 Sen. Weinberg
00:49:37 Rep. Peterson
00:50:32 Sen. Weinberg

Closing by Sponsor:

00:51:02 Sen. Weinberg

00:54:55 Rep. Reinhart

00:55:14 Rep. Stoker

EXECUTIVE ACTION ON SB 287

00:55:32 **Motion:** Rep. Reinhart moved that SB 287 **BE CONCURRED IN.**

Discussion:

00:56:11 Rep. Sands

00:56:22 Rep. Reinhart

00:56:35 **Vote:** Motion carried unanimously by voice vote. Rep. Caferro and Rep. McGillvray and Rep. Milburn voted by proxy. Rep. Becker will carry the bill on the floor.

00:58:36 Rep. Stoker

EXECUTIVE ACTION ON SB 397

01:01:03 **Motion/Vote:** Rep. Dutton moved that SB 397 **BE TABLED.** Motion carried 12-2 by voice vote. Rep. Reinhart and Jones voted no. Rep. Caferro voted by proxy.

ADJOURNMENT

Adjournment: 5:00 P.M.

REP. RON STOKER, Chairman

DEBBIE CARLSON, Secretary

RS/dc

Additional Exhibits:

EXHIBIT ([huh70aad.pdf](#))